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CIC's Response to Recent Inmate Deaths at the Central Detention Facility (CDF)

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On Friday, May 13th, the CIC received reports about a possible inmate death at the Central Detention Facility (CDF). After correspondence with DOC Director, Tom Faust, we learned that there was a death at approximately 3:30am in unit South 3. According to Director Faust, the decedent was found unresponsive after attempts to revive were unsuccessful. Director Faust reported that the family has been notified and the DOC and MPD are investigating the incident.

On May 15th, the CIC received information about two inmate overdoses at the CDF. We can confirm that one of the overdoses resulted in a death. The second inmate was resuscitated and transported to a local hospital. We are in communication with Councilmember Trayon White and the DOC. We will continue to keep the public informed as additional details concerning these incidents emerge.

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